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|----------------------------|----|---|----|----|---|
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| Parrott, cf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| G. Philbrook, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Bartlett, lf., p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| York, 1b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| Inman, p., lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 |
| Kiley, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| D. Philbrook, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Jackson, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals, | 27 | 0 | 3 | 27 | 9 |
| GOREHM ab. r. h. po. a. e. | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sameron, 3b. | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Burbank, rf. | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dube, 1b. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| Perdval, ss. | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Ross, cf. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Michaud, 2b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Krough, lf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Arsenault, c. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| McConnell, p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
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The list of jurors who are serving at this time are:

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Charles L. Aldrich, Paris

Winthrop M. Andrews, Dixfield

Warren Bellows, Rumford

Perley R. F. Bradbury, Denmark

Isaac S. Fox, foreman, Oxford

Arthur S. Harlow, Peru

Robert D. Hastings, Bethel

R. W. Kidder, Mexico

George Kimball, Rumford

M. A. Lapham, Greenwood

George Newton, Mexico

W. B. Ordway, Rumford

SECOND PANEL

Elmor L. Aldrich, Paris

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Nelson Campbell, Andover

F. F. Doshon, Woodstock

Fred B. Howe, Bethel

William S. Irish, Bucksport

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Morton E. Rawson of Canton, tried for passing bad checks, pleaded not guilty.

In the case of Frank Wagnis, tried for having in his possession a still for the manufacture of liquor, pleaded guilty and he was sentenced to two months in jail and a fine of \$1,000.

Charles P. Kimball of Norway, indicted for operating for an auto while intoxicated, pleaded guilty and was fined \$100 and costs of \$47.50.

It is thought at the present writing that the business of this term of court can all be completed by the end of week.

COURT NEWS

At the May term of the Supreme Judicial Court, Hon. George M. Hanson presiding, now in session, there were 67 applicants to become citizens of the United States. These were examined by Federal Examiner M. Myer Dodge before the presiding justice. Of this number 40 were admitted, and took the oath of allegiance, while 20 were dismissed and 7 suspended.

Last week's work brought about the settlement of several cases that were listed for trial, among them being that of Max Loefchie vs. Frank Jannass, Augustine Prevost vs. Antoine Trepanier, Bernard Andrews vs. Alonso G. Rich, A. G. Rich vs. Bernard Andrews, The case of Almira Richards vs. David A. Moir was not suited. In the case of Lou M. Daugherty, administratrix vs. Leilla Tabbets for the death of Mr. Daugherty caused by automobile accident, when the car was driven by Miss Tabbert, struck Mr. Daugherty causing fatal injuries, a verdict of \$5,000 for the plaintiff was brought in by the jury, and a motion has been filed for a new trial. In the case of Frank M. Taylor vs. Harry Rand for injuries to his car caused by running into a dump cart which Rand had left by the road after his day's work was done on the road between Rumford and Dixfield, a verdict of \$40 was brought in by the jury for the plaintiff.

On Monday of this week about the only case that was tried was one against Annie Warren for being a liquor nuisance, and she was found not guilty.

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ROUND BUSINESS SENSE

The real business men of America—those who realize that if we are to regain our lost foreign trade we must buy from Europe, else we cannot sell to Europe—are deeply concerned lest the "American Valuation" plan originally proposed in the Fordney tariff bill should become a law overnight.

The American valuation idea is born of the dreams of high protectionists who believe in the outworn theory that the way to restore and maintain prosperity in the United States is to erect a Chinese wall of tariff duties about it.

American business men who have

made a practical study of the problems involved in the tariff system are con-

vinced that the valuation scheme would

wreck what little chance we may have

to regain our foreign markets, and to

get back to normal in production of

goods for export.

One of the most telling arguments on this subject emanates from the National Retail Dry Goods Association. Embodied in a telegram to the President and to Chairman McCumber of the Senate Finance committee, the Association's position is thus summed up:

"You will recall that the House enacted the Fordney bill without debate on the floor, touching the provisions in Section four hundred two, commonly re-

ferred to as American valuation. The

bill, now in the hands of the Senate

Finance committee, has met with general

objection from farmers, merchants,

manufacturers, bankers and the general

consuming public, not through any dis-

position to deny adequate protection

wherever needed to American labor and

industry, but because American valuation, so-called, is regarded as destruc-

tive, cumbersome and difficult of adminis-

tration and as conceived in the interests

of those who desire to foster monopo-

listic control of prices.

"If the Senate Finance committee now should report the Fordney tariff bill, changing the basis of assessment to the foreign valuation, and the Senate should adopt the measure as re-

ported, there is a possibility that when

the bill goes to conference the Ameri-

can valuation plan in some form may be

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"The opposition to American valua-

tion is so widespread and spontaneous

that we are moved to ask you in the

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tributors that the effect of American

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"The statement that American potash contains borax or any other injurious ingredients has no foundation. In 1918 a small quantity of American potash produced by one of the seventy-odd American plants, did contain borax in quantity sufficient to cause damage. This condition was remedied as soon as

discovered, and since that time not a pound of American potash has con-

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New Jersey, Maryland and at most of

the California plants never contained

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years, and have agreed that this tariff

protection shall diminish from 2-1/2

cents a pound the first year to 1-2 cent

a pound the fifth year, after which pot-

ash shall be free of duty. This seems

to them a reasonable request. The rep-

resentative of the New Jersey potato

growers testified before the Senate

Committee that this duty when at its

height would increase the cost of grow-

ing potatoes by only two cents a bushel.

"Surely it is worth while to Ameri-

can farmers to preserve this American

industry at so small a cost when the alter-

native is a European monopoly which makes no secret of its determina-

tion to make our farmers pay every

cent it can extort from their polish.

The American potash industry is the

only defense of American farmers

against a ruthless and unfeeling for-

ign monopoly which for the moment is

able to sell here at a ridiculous price

because of the falling exchange rate of

the mark."

"The American potash industry has

\$50,000,000 invested in plants, and

with this moderate, temporary and di-

minishing protection will be able to get

on its feet and at the end of the five-

year period meet foreign competition

in an open market. It is the honest be-

lief of the polish producers that with

this tariff our farmers will pay less for

their potash, than they will if the duty

falls off again and the American in-

dustry is crushed, and our farmers are

left at the mercy of the notorious Ger-

man Syndicate."

valuation must be to materially increase the cost of living.

Just now the prices of farm products are recovering somewhat and the disparity between the prices of farm products and manufactured goods is to that degree decreased. It would be a sad mistake now if Congress by the enactment of American valuation should send the prices of manufactured products once more far out of keeping with farm products. In view of the fact that the country has spoken so emphatically against American valuation may we point out that it would be a serious mistake to enact section four hundred two without debate on the floor of the Senate?"

That argument is not advanced by the Democratic party. It is not the opening gun in a tariff reform campaign. It is signed by J. Isidor Straus, president, and Philip LeBoutillier, chairman, of the tariff committee of an organization representing sterling American business men in every quarter of the country. Its appeal is solely on the ground of the restoration of normal trade conditions. These men care nothing for politics in the ordinary acceptance of the term. What they are interested in is the upbuilding of American trade and they know it cannot be built unless every artificial impediment to its expansion is removed.

The Portmouth, Va., Star.

MAINE EXPERT'S ATTACK DENIED BY POTASH MAN

Secretary of Producers' Association An-

swers Frank E. Coombs, Defends Ameri-

can Product. Declares Farmers' Loss Would Be Greater by Stiffing Competition

Frederick W. Brown, of Washington, D. C., executive secretary of the United States Potash Producers' Association, when shown today a letter written by Frank E. Coombs, secretary manager of the Aroostook Potash Growers' Association, declared that the letter was evidently prepared without a full knowledge of the facts concerning the American Potash industry."

In discussing the proposed tariff on potash, Mr. Coombs claimed that American potash contained impurities injurious to plant life, that American producers could not begin to meet the demand of farmers in this country, and that the proposed tariff would be a burden to Maine potato growers. In answer Mr. Brown said:

"The normal consumption of potash in this country is about 250,000 tons of actual potash. The American producers in 1918 turned out 54,000 tons and in 1920 about 60,000 tons and have at present a producing capacity in plants now in existence of at least 75,000 tons, with an almost unlimited possibility of expansion if the industry is assured that it will not be swamped by German imports."

"The statement that American potash

contains borax or any other injurious

ingredients has no foundation. In 1918 a small quantity of American potash produced by one of the seventy-odd American plants, did contain borax in quantity sufficient to cause damage. This condition was remedied as soon as

discovered, and since that time not a pound of American potash has con-

tained any injurious ingredient.

The potash produced in Utah, Nebraska,

New Jersey, Maryland and at most of

the California plants never contained

any injurious impurity and to say, as

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CANTON

MRS. FLORA K. ALLEN

William A. Lucas received word Friday morning of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Flora K. Allen, wife of Lucius F. Allen of Livermore Falls, who suffered a paralytic shock Thursday forenoon and failed until she passed away early Friday morning. Mrs. Allen was born in Canton on Sept. 15, 1857, the daughter of Samuel Lucas and Almira (DeCoster) Lucas. She became the wife of Lucius F. Allen in 1877. They had two children, Pearl E. Allen and Harry N. Allen. Besides her husband and two sons, she is survived by a grandchild, Lucile Allen, a brother, William A. Lucas of Canton, two sisters, Mrs. Monroe Peabody of Dixfield and Mrs. Persis L. Noyes of New York City, also a nephew, George M. Peabody of Brockton, Mass., and two nieces, Mrs. A. L. Newman of Auburn and Mrs. C. H. Tovis of Dixfield. The early part of her life and for several years after marriage she was a resident of Canton, moving from here to Mechanic Falls. For twenty-two years the family have lived at Livermore Falls. Mrs. Allen was a charter member of Ponemah Robekah Lodge, but at the time of her death was a member of Charity Lodge of Livermore Falls. She leaves many friends who regret her sudden death. The funeral was held Sunday at 12:30 at the home, Rev. A. A. Blair officiating. The floral offerings were in unusual abundance and most beautiful, bearing mute testimony to the love and esteem in which she was held. Among the tributes was a lovely offering from Charity Robekah Lodge, the primary school children, the Alden Sunday School class, Shrine Club, K. of C., and several others, besides the large quantity from relatives and friends. Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Peabody of Dixfield, William A. Lucas of Canton, Mrs. Persis L. Noyes of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Tovis and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Russell and Charlie Russell of Dixfield and Oliver Bridge of New Hampshire. The interment was at the cemetery at Livermore Falls.

Mother's Day was observed at the Universalist church, Sunday, when Francis H. Bates delivered a most impressive sermon, giving a fine talk to the Boy Scouts, who attended in a body. Special music was given and there were beautiful bouquets of carnations. Miss Maxie Lewis of Portland is a guest of friends in town. Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Stillings of Auburn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Glines. Miss Ruth Johnson was at home over Sunday. Miss A. C. Bicknell has returned

home.

One of the jolliest events of the season was held at Masonic Hall, Tuesday evening, when the ladies entertained the men of the order in a pleasant manner. The entertainment opened with a piano solo by Miss Marion Tyler. This was followed by "The Third Degree," a burlesque initiation, with the following cast: Mrs. Clara Mondell, Mrs. Faris, Miss B. Lucas, Miss Mabel Norcross, Miss Carrie F. Hayford, four principal officers; musicians of the lodge, Mrs. Minnie Oliver, Mrs. Edna Rose, Mrs. Helen Ellis and Miss Thelma Bicknell; other officers, Miss Ethel W. Russell, Mrs. Lillie W. Bicknell, Mrs. Julia E. Hollis and Mrs. Lida A. Tyler. These were gowned in pretty, fantastic costumes, the four highest officers looking very dignified in tall silk hats. The candidates, who acted well their parts, were Mrs. Myrtle Davis and Mrs. Hazel Ray. An impressive part of the initiation was the handsome goat, who was "fed up" so that he bounded to the satisfaction of all concerned. The secretary of this "Exaltated Society" was Mrs. Ethel Johnson, who read a laughable record of the last meeting. The report of the sick committee by Mrs. W. A. Lucas was also amusing. A ladies' quartette in pantomime, and a recitation by Miss Mabel Norcross, also in pantomime, were also pleasing features. Piano duets by Mrs. Helen Ellis and Mrs. Marguerite Pulsifer and chorals singing at the close were enjoyed. Then all marched to the banquet hall, where the tables were attractive with beautiful flowers and loaded with delicious food. At each table were daintily Eastern Star cards, upon which were mottoes suitable to the occasion. Among those present from away were Mr. and Mrs. Ansel S. Ellis of Dixfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hayes Pulsifer of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sampson of Hartford and Mrs. William Lacey of Rumford. The entertainment committee was Mrs. Lida Tyler, Mrs. Ethel Johnson, Miss Carrie Hayford and Miss Thea Bicknell, and the supper committee, Mrs. Olara Mondell, Mrs. Helen Ellis and Mrs. Myrtle Davis.

Miss Winona Nickerson is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ingersoll, at Monmouth. A special meeting of Whiting Lodge, F. & A. M., will be held May 18th. About twenty pupils of the grammar school, with Miss Mary McDowell, teacher, enjoyed an auto truck ride to Augusta, Saturday, and went over the State House.

Supt. F. H. Bates spoke before the American Legion at Winthrop, Friday evening. At the meeting of Ponemah Robekah Lodge, Friday evening, four candidates were initiated and cake, ice cream and coffee served. Little Rachel York is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Pulsifer, of Farmington. The funeral was held Sunday at 12:30 at the home, Rev. A. A. Blair officiating. The floral offerings were in unusual abundance and most beautiful, bearing mute testimony to the love and esteem in which she was held. Among the tributes was a lovely offering from Charity Robekah Lodge, the primary school children, the Alden Sunday School class, Shrine Club, K. of C., and several others, besides the large quantity from relatives and friends. Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Peabody of Dixfield, William A. Lucas of Canton, Mrs. Persis L. Noyes of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Tovis and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Russell and Charlie Russell of Dixfield and Oliver Bridge of New Hampshire. The interment was at the cemetery at Livermore Falls.

Miss Agnes Cameron has been at home on a vacation of a few days. Mrs. Charles Small has been spending a week with Mrs. Leslie Roberts and family of Richmond. Alton Tyler has been serving on the jury the past week. W. A. Lucas was called to Livermore Falls, Friday, by the death of his sister, Mrs. J. F. Allen. Mrs. Phoebe Sampson of Gilberville suffered a slight paralytic shock at her home, Saturday afternoon, her right side being affected considerably. She was alone, when she fell, unconscious, and later when consciousness returned she was able to call a neighbor, Mrs. Barker, who sent for a physician. Her condition is critical.

Mrs. A. S. Bicknell has been on a visit to her parents in Chebeague. A few from Canton attended the entertainment and dance at North Turner, Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tyler have been visiting in Rumford.

The senior class of Canton High School presented their drama at East Sumner and Peru the past week and was very successful. Those from Canton who attended Ponemah at Mexico, Wednesday, were: Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs, A. F. Russell, Ethel Russell, Mrs. H. A. Eastman, Mrs. Ethel Goding, Mrs. Anna Dailey, Mrs.

At 820 W. Hayward Ave., lives Mrs. Henry Johnson, who a few weeks ago wrote what may be termed a good message to all mothers. She said: "I have used Dr. True's Elixir for more than ten years and know it is good." She used Dr. True's Elixir, the True Family Laxative and Worm Expler, to rid her children of worms. There is hardly a child but what needs Dr. True's Elixir, for they all usually have worms when growing up." Mrs. Johnson appreciates what Dr. True's Elixir accomplishes. Your children will be in better health through its use.

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Cora B. Fuller and Mrs. Hattie Dally. The annual district meeting of Odd Fellows will be held with Livermore Falls Lodge, May 22.

The Cautions played ball with the Livermore Falls nine, Wednesday, at the Falls, and were defeated.

George Johnson and Asia Hayford have been spending a few days at Rangeley.

Mrs. William R. Robinson of Temple, and formerly of Canton is seriously ill with blood poisoning and a consultation of physicians has been held.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Irish and son, Howard, of Buckfield were Sunday guests of W. L. York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fuller and daughter, Barbara, of Belmont, Mass., arrived by motor, Sunday, to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. Cora B. Fuller.

Miss Hazel Gilbert of Lewiston has been on a visit to her parents.

WEST PARIS

The pupils of the grades are to give an entertainment in Grange Hall, Thursday evening, May 18. The primary grades will present the operetta, "The Prince in the Woods," and the intermediate and grammar grades, "The Frog Prince."

Dr. F. E. Wheeler and family moved Tuesday to their new home at 80 Burleigh Street, Waterville, and Dr. Raymond and family of South Paris will take possession of the Wheeler house, which, as previously stated, he purchased earlier in the season. The removal of Dr. Wheeler from the community is a distinct loss both as a prominent citizen and a skillful physician. He is broadly educated, a graduate of Oakland High School, Westbrook Seminary and St. Lawrence Divinity School, from which he was ordained to the Universalist ministry, holding two or three successful pastorates. On account of family conditions it seemed best for him to study for a physician, and he entered the Maine Medical School. After graduating he spent a year in a hospital at Providence, R. I., and then came to West Paris, and built the handsome house on Main street which he and Mrs. Wheeler have since occupied. During these years he has held a large and successful practice of extensive experience, being examining physician for 15 different insurance companies. He has attended a thousand obstetric cases and served in the various capacities expected of the all-round country physician of dentistry, surgery and medical advice, and has always been ably assisted in an emergency case at the office by Mrs. Wheeler, who was a registered nurse before her marriage. Dr. Wheeler enlisted into service when the call came and went overseas, where he was in charge of a hospital, remaining away eighteen months. Mrs. Wheeler, not wishing to be idle, entered a woman's hospital in New York City and served as nurse for nearly a year. Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler's relations with the work of the community and the social life of the town have always been pleasant and helpful, and especially does their removal come as a loss to the Universalist church with which he has been more or less identified for nearly 20 years, and where for the past 20 years he and Mrs. Wheeler have been regular attendants, his early training making him especially companionable to the ministers in charge, and ready to see the need of kindly service. That the Wheeler family have been popular and their removal deeply regretted has been shown by the social functions held in their honor during the past two weeks, beginning with a surprise party and banquet given them by physicians of the surrounding towns. Secondly, when Mrs. George Devine entertained the Jolly Twelves' whist club in honor of Mrs. Wheeler, who was their president, Mrs. Wheeler being presented with an electric flatiron. Another pleasant little party was given by Lewis J. Mann at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tuell, in honor of their daughter Dorothy, when fourteen little girls were entertained, and Miss Dorothy was presented with a boudoir lamp and a sum of money as a parting gift. Thursday evening at Centennial Hall Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler were given a community reception. The hall was prettily decorated, the color scheme being pink and white, the flowers being pink and white carnations. Those who assisted Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler in receiving were Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Packard, Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Aldrich, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Mackley.

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which was held from the home of his brother, A. T. Hollis, Maple Street, and the interment was in West Paris cemetery. Although strangers to nearly all, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis have made many friends since coming here, and much sympathy is expressed for the family in their sudden bereavement.

Arthur Stowell was in Lewiston the week end.

SOUTH BETHEL
School was not in session last Friday, May 5, on account of the Teachers' Convention at Mexico.

Mrs. Artemus Smith and daughter, Marguerite, and mother, Mrs. Emma Smith of Connecticut came last week. They will live at Locke's Mills this summer.

Out of town callers at Frank Brooks' Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett, Zenos Merrill, Alfred Buck and friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Vear Bean were at Rumford one day last week.

Maud Dunton is on the gain at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings and family of Rumford were in town, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bean and son, Wesley, Jr., and Edward Verrell motored to Yarmouth and Gloucester last week.

Howard Hutchins is hauling shingles for the new schoolhouse.

LOCKE'S MILLS
The funeral of Mrs. Lizzie Demond was held at the home Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Little spoke words of comfort. The many floral tributes spoke of the high esteem in which she was held. She leaves one brother, Culon Swift and several nieces and nephews.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Bartlett which have been in the tomb were taken to Dixfield, Saturday for interment. Mrs. Donald Tabbott and son are visiting her parents at Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. C. E. Stowell, Mrs. Tena Woodsum and Mrs. Lincoln Hodgkins were

relatives residing in this section.

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Children's Hose of lisle and cotton in black, brown and white.

Children's Socks, in one-half and three-quarters lengths in plain color and combinations of colors.

Ladies' Golf Hose, several shades of leather mixtures, to be worn with the Knicker Suits.

New Neck Scarfs

Beautiful colorings. Isn't it true that the bright scarf tones up an outfit? Even to an amazing degree! The most matter of fact business suit takes on a note of gaiety when enlivened with a scarf of gorgeous colorings. Some of the newest arrivals are quite different than the usual kind. Priced \$2.50, \$2.75, \$2.95.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Chester B. Oliver, Pastor, Sunday morning worship at 10:45, Sermon, Passion for Souls.

Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Subject for the evening, The Echo.

Mid-week worship Tuesday at 7:45, Leader, Mr. Wood.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Emma Robertson on Thursday afternoon, May 18. All members are requested to be present as this is the last meeting before the sale.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet Thursday evening, May 18, with Miss Lucy Fox.

All members and friends are invited to a reception on Friday evening at the Methodist church. The time is set from 8 to 10 o'clock. The purpose of the evening is to give the minister and wife opportunity to meet all the people.

LOCKE'S MILL CHURCH

Worship at 9:00 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mid-week worship Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Thursday, May 18, 3 o'clock: Meeting of the Ladies' Club with Mrs. Achernbach.

Sunday, May 21:

10:45: Worship. The pastor will preach. Anthem by the Young Peoples' Chorus.

12:00: Sunday School.

7:00: Y. P. S. C. E. Union meeting with the Juniors. Leaders, the Misses Bell, Parlington and Dorothy Jackson. Topic, "What Christian Endeavor Does for Me."

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Morning service at 10:45.

Worship meeting at 7.

Topic next Sunday evening, "The Good Samaritan." Reference, Luke 10: 30-37.

The Ladies' Circle will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Willey.

Remember the Ferry Beach Park meetings and especially the X. P. C. U. Institute, July 24-30. Our Bethel Union ought to be represented by at least two members and as many more as can possibly attend.

Ferry Beach Park is the seashore recreation and rest resort of the Universalist people from all parts of the U. S. It is just south of Old Orchard Beach and really a continuation of the same beach.

BAPTIST BETHEL
Miss Edna Bartlett was at her home here over the week end.

Mr. Urban Bartlett was called to attend court a day last week at Rumford. Mr. Z. Willis Bartlett made a business trip to So. Paris one day last week.

Mr. A. G. Rich of Canton was a recent day's guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holt.

Mr. C. G. Kimball of Middle Intervale was a guest over the week end of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howe and family.

Mr. H. E. Bartlett was last week's guest of his sister, Mrs. Octavia Bean, and called on his many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clark, Mr. Hugh Clark and Mr. Wendell K. Clark of Auburn were week end guests of Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kimball, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swas and R. L. Swas were last week's guests of relatives at South Paris.

Mr. Clifton Bean of Woodstock was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Curtis Bartlett and family.

Mr. J. F. Harrington was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Harrington and family.

HANOVER
A six o'clock supper and social was held at Union Hall last Friday, under the auspices of the Union Sunday School. It was a fine supper, a pleasant evening followed, and a gaudy sum was added to the Sunday School treasury.

Mother's Day was observed by the

PARAGRAPHS FOR THE NEW ENGLANDER

News of General Interest From the Six States

The British Cruiser Constance was greeted with salute of guns from the old frigate Constitution, when the former vessel arrived at the Boston Navy Yard for a visit to this port.

Jerusalem Lodge of Masons Northampton, Mass., will celebrate its 125th anniversary with a banquet Thursday evening June 1.

A class of 133 candidates received degrees at the annual gathering of Maine Scottish Rite, Masons in Augusta. Conferring of degrees took place in the afternoon and early evening.

The Sam C. Mason Inc., of Lynn, Mass., has opened a last factory at Auburn, Me. The firm does not manufacture lasts but remodels old lasts and is the only concern of its kind in the state.

Rev. Walter Thorpe of Brandon, Vt., was elected president of the Vermont Congregational Conference for the ensuing year at the 127th annual conference at Springfield. He succeeds Frank L. Fish of Vergennes.

The resignation of Collins M. Graves as federal prohibition director for Vermont is announced tonight by Acting Prohibition Commissioner Jones. Mr. Graves it is said, has asked to be relieved of duty about June 10, in order to practise law.

Major George C. Webber of Auburn, Me., general chairman of the joint committee in charge of arrangements for Lewiston and Auburn posts announces that the state convention of the Maine department of the American Legion will be held in these cities Sept. 5, 6, and 7.

Addressing a meeting of the Lawrence Rotary Club, Edward J. Cattell, city statistician of Philadelphia, predicted a great era of prosperity in the United States for the near future. He stated that underlying business conditions are sound, despite the present depression and that much prosperity lies ahead.

Miss Louise Krawczyk and Charles Grabowski of Woonsocket, and Tony Chnura, all of Woonsocket, R. I., were arraigned at Utbridge on complaint of Steve Murak of Utbridge, that he paid \$850 for a wife he did not get. Murak said he paid Chnura, whom he charges with larceny, the money for courting and wedding expenses.

Liquor smuggling from the Province of Quebec into Vermont is on the increase and the inflow this summer will be great unless the maximum sentence is imposed on every smuggler or caught, the Rev. Clement G. Clarke head of the Vermont Anti-Saloon League, told delegates to the state Congregational conference.

Rev. R. S. McLaughlin of Portland was elected president of the State Congregational conference which held a three days' session in Bangor. The conference voted among other business to appoint a director of religious education, and a director of benevolence, and to pay \$1000 towards the deficit of the National Home Missionary Society.

After discussing the punishment of smelters in the Worcester with Charles Rushton, a farmer of Gassotis, Vt., Rollin J. Scapin, aged 40, of Wallingford, hanged himself in Rushton's barn by means of a chain attached to a beam. His father and brother both committed suicide by hanging within the past year and a sister killed herself by drinking poison.

Jessey P. Pernam, son of Dr. and Mrs. John G. Pernam of Worcester, Mass., has received word from the war department that his appointment to West Point Military Academy has been accepted. He will enter the academy July 1. He attended the Army and Navy preparatory school at Washington in 1921, and this year is a student at Marion Institute in Alabama.

"If religion is taught in the schools a conflict of denominations cannot be avoided, I believe for this reason that there is no hope that the public schools can ever participate in the teaching of religion or morality as reading on religious sanctions," Dr. Payson Smith, Massachusetts Commissioner of Education said at the banquet which was one of the features at the State Congregational conference, Bangor, Me.

Alien M. Fletcher of Cavendish, ex-Governor of Vermont, was found dead in a room at the Bowditch Hotel, Rutland. Death was declared due to a cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. Fletcher was one of Vermont's richest men, largely because of his real estate holdings in Indianapolis. He had presided as chairman of a board of judges at a prize-speaking contest at Middlebury College during the evening.

Two little boys Joseph Martin, 4, and his brother George 2, of Taunton, Mass., have confessed to setting the fire that destroyed George B. White's house and barn, according to State Detective George O. Mansfield and Fire Chief S. A. Leonard, who have talked with them. The children were playing in the barn, and according to Mr. White, they came to his house a short time before he discovered the fire and asked for some water. He told them to run home and get the water there. Shortly he went out and hearing a crackling noise went to the barn which he found was a mass of flames.

CHEMISTS DEVISE TESTS TO DETECT REMADE MILK

The increased use of remade milk and cream—that is, milk and cream made from powdered or condensed milk and sweet-cream butter—has made necessary some method by which they may be distinguished from the natural products. Such a test has been devised by chemists of the United States Department of Agriculture, and it is now possible to detect as little as 10 per cent of remade milk in a mixture with natural pasteurized milk. If milk powder has been used in making the mixture, the amount that can be detected will depend on the degree of heat used in its manufacture.

The test for both milk and cream is based upon the color produced when the washed curd made from them is dissolved in sodium hydroxide. When this curd solution has stood for several hours a characteristic yellow color develops in the samples taken from remade milk and cream or mixtures containing them; samples of the natural products or only slight mixtures do not show it.

Remade milk and cream are whole-some foods if made properly from good, natural milk, but should be sold for what they are, and this test makes it possible for food officials to determine whether or not the consumer is being deceived.

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RUMFORD

New red signs with white letters have been placed in Municipal Hall indicating the way to the fire escape.

The Chisholm Park is being put in shape and span order for the season by caretaker M. G. Barnes. The leaves and debris have been raked up and hauled away, and the seats newly painted, have been placed in convenient places all through the park.

Reports from Bates College state that Miss Jeanne Bachelin, a Junior, has recently been awarded the assistantship of the French Department, and has been made president of "Le Cercle Francais"—a college society. Miss Bachelin has also been appointed to the Girls' Student Government Council, and has been unanimously elected to the McFarlane Club, a musical and honorary society of the college.

Mrs. Jennie Currier of Bryant's Pond has been a recent guest in town. She is much improved from her late illness.

Prof. Anton E. Mainente, the new Band Leader, arrived in town about a week ago, with many new ideas which he is in hopes of being able to carry out, among them being to establish a boys' band, a girls' band and a bugle corps of the band.

Reuben Richmond is very weak. He is confined to his bed, and is gradually failing.

The Auxiliary of the American Legion will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. Robichaud on Erchles street, May 18th. At that time plans will be started for "Daisy Day" also for Memorial Day.

Miss Rupert Clough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clough of Prospect avenue, has completed her business course in Portland and has returned to

her home.

Mrs. E. B. Ireland of Stetson, Maine, has been a guest of her daughter, Miss Ethie Ireland, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Howe of Washington street. Miss Ireland is the teacher of elocution in Rumford High School.

Mrs. Ellen Sparks of Bowdoinham, Me., is the guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sparks, of Franklin street.

Master John Greene, young son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Greene of Franklin street, is the proud possessor of a Scotch collie pup which has been named "Prince."

The Pettengill school was the first school in town to turn in their money for the Near East Relief Fund. The little folks gave a good sum.

Orrington Berry has the sympathy of his friends in the death of his oldest brother, Albion Berry, of Highland Lake.

The engagement of Miss Vera M. Rodgeron of this town to Mr. Russell E. Lowe of New York City has been announced.

St. Margaret's Guild made \$30 at their recent food sale.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will be held at the church sometime in June, and will be in the nature of a social.

Harold Bates, formerly of Lewiston, has been engaged as piano player at the Opera House, and began his new duties on Monday of this week.

At the meeting of Purity Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., to be held on this Friday, degrees will be conferred on several candidates, and refreshments will be served.

Ellsworth P. Howard of Knox street has purchased a new Ford car.

Merle Gammon is clerking in the A. & P. store for awhile.

Bert Bridgegaard family of Bath moved to Rumford, and have taken a room on Knox street in the Kidder Block.

William Gilman, who lived in the Kidder Block on Knox street, has broken up his housekeeping, and has gone to Canada to work. Mrs. Gilman is living with her mother, Mrs. Orinado Butler, of Pine street.

The Rumford High School play, "A Couple of Million," made a great hit last week, and played two performances to crowded houses.

Miss Nutty of Brunswick is assisting in the Benefit Store, during the illness of Mrs. W. S. Morrow.

If the plans of Napoleon Oullette Post, No. 24, American Legion, of Rumford are carried out, there will be a Legion "Get-together Day" hero on Friday of this week, at which all the Posts in the County will be represented. It is also planned to have the Department Commander and Department Adjutant here to address the meeting. This day is sort of an initiative to the possible forming of County organization, such an order having worked most successfully in New York State. The program for the day will be found elsewhere in this issue of the Citizen.

Several changes are to be made in the office force of the Oxford Paper Co., paper mill in the near future, it is reported. Everett Shea has been transferred to the New York office. C. Frank Young is to go to the Portland office of this Company, and expects to move there in June, as soon as his son Maurice, graduates from Rumford High School. Mr. Young will take the position of Arthur Mills, who has been transferred to the New York office. Daniel B. Morris, who was formerly an employee in the Rumford office, and later in the New York office, has resigned. Another important change is that W. R. Rankin, who has been in the employ of the Rumford Falls Light and Water Company for the past three

years and a half, has resigned his position at the Light and Water Company office, and will take up special duties in the Treasurer's office of the Oxford Paper Company in New York City. It is reported that Percy Davis will take Mr. Rankin's place at the Light and Water Company's office.

Eddie Gauthier is absent from his school work at the High School, helping on the farm during the illness of his brother. Beatrice Beauchene has left school to go to work, and Harry Taylor has left his class at the High School and accepted a position as stenographer in the Realty Company.

William Karpick has recently been elected as captain of the High School Junior baseball team, and Donovan Jenkins has been elected manager.

Mr. Alton Eugene Mainente, Rumford's new band leader, expects to now establish a Rumford Conservatory of Music, of which institution he will be its managing-director, whose private and class instruction can be had on any subject pertaining to music and dramatics. He will devote certain hours, daily, to the giving of free consultation to those wishing his advice upon the choice of subjects and the course of study best to pursue. Mr. Mainente does not adhere to the stereotyped method of instruction, but believes in fitting a course of study for the individual, built on sound psychological principles—a method of study which is interesting as it is instructive. Mr. Mainente, knowing that Rumford by its remote position, is deprived of concerts, recitals, and dramatic performances made possible by visiting artists, will work assiduously towards the giving of as many performances and concerts as feasible, through the development of local talent. Apart from the 103rd Infantry Band, which he hopes to increase to seventy members, he will organize as readily as time permits, The Rumford Symphony Orchestra, The Rumford Singing Society, and the Rumford Dramatic Club, aside from the various bands.

Forest Uhlman has purchased a car which he drives to and from his work at West Bethel.

True Brown and A. J. Penseur were at Mr. Brown's home, Sunday.

J. D. Uhlman and family entertained company, Sunday.

W. H. Hutchinson and family and Mr. Alton Tyler motored to Norway and return one day last week.

Milford Browne and Millard Clough from Bethel called at T. J. Browne's, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson and sons and Miss Mayberry attended the funeral services of their niece, Miss Dorothy Stearns, at Bethel village, Saturday afternoon.

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BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

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Prepared by U. S. Directors of Markets and Crop Estimates

BRIGHTON LIVE STOCK AND DRESSED MEAT MARKET

Receipts of all classes of livestock were light and prices were steady. Good and medium steers and oxen sold at \$1.50-\$1.60; butcher cows and heifers strong at \$1.60-\$1.80; bulls \$1.50-\$1.60; canner cows and heifers \$1.25-\$1.40 per 100 lbs. Veal calves were steady with light and medium lots \$1.50-\$1.60 per 100 lbs. Veal choice at \$1.75 per 100 lbs. Hogs were firm with bulk of sales at \$1.25-\$1.75 per 100 lbs.

DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

The scarcity of fresh butter combined with a demand sufficient to clean up the supply of desirable quality each night held the market firm until toward the close the supply increased somewhat and a weakness developed at other dairy markets. The market at Weymouth was willing to make a full cent concession on their offering, the best going out around 50¢. Receipts of northern butter were moderate with best moving out 27-27½¢ with some early sales at 35¢. The cheese market ruled dull and unsettled throughout the week and with the arrival of lower cost cheese, market development and some dealers were willing to make a half cent concession, selling twins at 13½-14¢. Some colored single dashed moved at 13½¢. Sentiment and sympathy with other markets with a later decrease in demand caused market to move down to 13¢. Dealers generally moved their current receipts out toward the close at 24½-27½¢. Strange packed eggs were slow and first moved mostly 28-28½¢. Nearby hen-eggs arrived in ample proportions and moved mostly at 30¢ in a wholesale way. Live fowl, round about 20-22¢, fresh cleaned up to 25¢, fresh killed also moved well, fowls 28-30¢. Some demand for fine quality maple syrup at \$1.25-\$1.50. Sugar shows no material change at 11-12¢.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Heavy supplies of southern green vegetables were on the market and prices were generally lower. Native asparagus increasing plentiful and much lower at \$1.00-\$1.10 per bushel of 25 lbs. Native carrots higher at 11.75-12.50 a bushel. Southern cabbage plentiful following temporary local shortage and much lower at \$1.00-\$1.10 per 100 lbs. crates; native hot-house cucumbers lower at \$1.00-\$1.50 a bush. Native dandollons lower at 28-30¢ a bush. Native radishes considerably lower at 11.75-12.50 a bushel. Native onions plentiful and lower at 12.00-12.50 a crate. Native radishes lower at 11.75-\$1.50 a box. Norfolk green pens steady at \$1.00-\$1.25 a bushel hamper. Maine potatoes still recovered to closing at \$1.20-\$1.40 per cwt. New Florida strawberries lower at 75-85¢ a bushel. Native bell-peppers lower at 75-85¢ a bush. Native rhubarb much lower at 75-85¢ a bush. Southern strawberries lower at 10-20¢ a quart. Condition fair to poor account recent rains. Native beets and carrots advanced sharply and then declined at \$1.00-\$1.25 a bush.

On the Roy property recently near the old trotting park, Highland Lake, Winsted, Conn., were two crows and a large hen hawk honking and feeding together. The unusual spectacle even attracted a large horde which stood in a nearby marsh watching the trio. When an automobile passed the hawk flew away, closely followed by the crows.

Antone Cossino, 32, married and the father of two children, was killed while blasting stone on the Mt. Hope farm, Taunton, Mass. Five charges of dynamite had been placed in a ledge, and Cossino, apparently miscounting, walked to the ledge just as the fifth charge of the series exploded. The force of the blast decapitated him.

By a rollcall vote of 108 to 85 the Massachusetts House of Representatives refused to refer to the next annual session the bill to amend the Income Tax law by allowing an exemption of \$250 for each child up to two, but makes no provision for an exemption on account of more than two children.

The Lawrence, Mass., City Council voted its "Explicit confidence in William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company, for his humanitarian work among the toiling workers of Lawrence." The motion was passed after Dan Legero, leader of the One Big Union, had been severely criticized by the Council members for his alleged action in trying to stir up trouble among the workers of the American Woolen Company.

Offering to help him stage, free of charge, "the most spectacular campaign that Massachusetts ever saw," Lt. Arthur H. Tunstall, a Brookfield, Mass., aviator urged Mayor Peter M. Sullivan of Worcester to announce himself as a candidate for Governor. The aviator promised to cover the state with a snowstorm of literature, to cover his plane with a big banner: "Sullivan for Governor," and to convey the major from place to place, saying that he wished to further his career because of the mayor's work in behalf of the war veterans. Mrs. Sullivan objects to her husband's flying, and he has refused many invitations to hop off, but he thanked Lt. Tunstall and said he would give his suggestion serious thought.

Detective Theo. F. Allen of Bangor says there are three murder cases in Maine in which there have been no arrests, although the murderers are known beyond any reasonable doubt. In one of these cases there were two victims. A man was arrested, tried and convicted of the killing of one, there being two separate indictments, and after serving a term in prison was paroled. In the other case the murderer has never been arrested, although the indictments have never been quashed. The only reason ever advanced is that the "trial would put a heavy expense on the community."

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HARRIET and the PIPER

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Harriet Field, twin eight years old and beautiful, is the personal secretary of the flirtatious Mrs. Isabell Carter, the Dowager of Crownlands. Richard Carter's home, and she is of the old Nina Carter, Ward, twenty-four years old and impressionable, makes him a useful and indispensable factor in his life. Mrs. Carter's attractive secretary, Mrs. Carter's attractive secretary, with young Anthony Pope, and the youth is taking it very seriously.

CHAPTER II.—Preliminary over the tea-cup this summer afternoon, Harriet is profoundly disturbed by the arrival of a young man, Ward, who has come to the party in the city. Blondin makes himself agreeable to Nina, and leaves a deep impression on the unsophisticated girl.

CHAPTER III.—Harriet's agitation over Ward is explained by the fact that he had been a disturbing element in her life two years before, and she fears him again. She is a devoted admirer of Ward, the girl, her mother, his own arrangements for their protection and safety. All a mess.

She had been beautiful, that girl, with her golden hair in the lamplight, and her white arms a little raised to rest her locked hands on the chair. Like some superb actress of tragedy, some splendid and sullen prisoner in the box. The slender figure in the dull wrapping of satin, and the white bosom, had looked so young, so virginal, the blue eyes were so honestly frightened and unshamed. And she had been that bougher's wife—in his arms! Divorced!—Harriet Field? Poor girl, cornered by this unscrupulous scoundrel, this bough, with all the ugly past dragged up like the muddy bottom of a river, staining and clouding the clear waters. And what a look she had given him, there under the lamp!

"It's a funny code," he mused. "Barbarians, that's what we are, when it comes to women. Nina, Ida, Isabelle, Harriet—none of them pay for the man-made rule! I shouldn't have forced her hand in this business marriage; it was taking an advantage of her. No woman wants to marry for anything but love, and if she had married for love, she would have made a clean break of this old affair, of course. I didn't expect that. We've made a nice mess of it, all around!"

"I mustn't let her work herself into a fever over all this!" he found himself thinking.

But Nina must be the first consideration. He must plan for Nina. He brought his thoughts back resolutely; his daughter must break her engagement now, there was that much gained. And for the journey to Rio—

"But why didn't she tell me?" he interrupted himself, suddenly. The reference was not to Nina. Again he saw the superb white shoulders in the soft flood of lamplight, and the flash of the blue eyes that turned toward Blondin.

"She could have killed him!" Richard said. "My God! How she will love when she does love!"

Meanwhile, to Harriet had come the bitterest hour of her life. She had reached a crossroads, and with steady fingers and an anguished heart, she prepared for the only step that her whirling brain and shamed soul seemed possible. She must disappear. There was no alternative.

She had harmed them all, they could only think of her now as an unscrupulous and mischievous woman who had by chance entered their lives when they were all in desperate need of wisdom and guidance, who had played her own contemptible game, and added one more hurt to the hurt reputation of the house of Carter.

Harriet got out of her evening gown and into a loose wrapper. She went about somewhat aimlessly, yet the suitcases, spread open on the bed, were gradually filled, and her personal possessions gradually disappeared from tables and walls. Now and then she stopped short, heartick and trembling; once her lips quivered and her eyes filled, but for the most part she did not pause.

Nina, at about eleven, had come to the door, between their rooms, and opened it. The girl was undressed, and for a few moments she watched Harriet scowling, with narrowed eyes.

"Are you going away?" she said, presently. Harriet brought heavy eyes to meet hers, and stood considering a minute, as if bringing her thoughts back to earth.

"—going away? Yes," she said, slowly. "Yes, I may."

Nina stood watching, which seemed vaguely to trouble Harriet, who gave her a restless glance now and then as she went to and fro. Presently she spoke to Nina again.

"Good-night, Nina!"

"Good-night!" snapped Nina, and the door slammed.

Harriet continued to move about for perhaps half an hour before Nina's odd manner recurred to her, on a wave of memory, and she seemed to hear again Nina's querulous tone.

"He told her!" she said, suddenly. "She saw Royal, and he told her! Poor girl."

And she went to Nina's room, with

Political Advertisement

WHICH SHALL RULE MONEY OR MEN?

Mr. C. W. Shaw, Secretary,
Brotherhood Locomotive Engineers,
Portland, Maine.

My dear Mr. Shaw:

On March 16th you wrote me that your organization by unanimous vote endorsed me for the office of United States Senator. I highly appreciated this endorsement and your expressions of confidence contained therein. I replied, however, that I was in no sense a candidate for this office.

But Nina lay sleeping peacefully,

and Harriet, after watching her for a few minutes, went back to her own room. She went to the open window, and stood staring absently out at the dark summer night, the great branches of the trees moving in the restless wind, and the oblong of dull light that still fell from the library window.

She could not see the horror as Richard saw it: she could not see herself as only a mistaken woman, a woman with youth, beauty, and intelligence pleading for her, one problem more in his life, it is true, but only one among many, and not the greatest. She did not see him as he saw himself, his family as the somewhat troublesome, yet quite understandable group of selfish human beings in whose perplexities he had always played the part of arbiter.

To Harriet the thing loomed momentous, unforgiving, incalculable. It assumed to her the proportions of a murder. Richard, in her estimation, was not what he thought himself, a somewhat ordinary man in the forties whose life had already held poverty and disillusionment and, wholesome disappointment whose nature had been tempered to humor and generosity and philosophy; to Harriet, he was the richest, the finest, the most deserving of men, and she the adventuresome who had brought his name down to shame and dishonor.

Until two o'clock she was wretchedly busy in soul and body. When the last of her personal possessions was packed, and when she was aching from head to foot, she took a hot bath, and crept into bed.

But not to sleep. The feverish agonies of shame and reproach held her. She was pleading with Richard, who was talking to Nina—she was making little of it—making much of it—she was saying a reluctant "yes—yes—yes!" to their questioning.

At four o'clock she dressed herself again, half-mad with headache and fatigue, and went out into a world that was just beginning to brighten into faint shapes and colors.

A steamer moved majestically up the river, the smoothly widening wake spread from shore to shore; pink light showed at one cabin window; and into Harriet's somber thoughts came suddenly the picture of a yawning cook, stumbling about amid his stout-blended pots and pans.

Nevertheless a majority of the Members of the United States Senate, including Senator Hale, voted that Newberry had transgressed no law that would render him unfit for that body. The expenditure of large sums of money in elections is destructive of our form of government, poisoning it well at their source.

The Federal Government is continually encroaching upon the functions rightfully belonging to the states. There is no greater menace than the increasing tendency to conduct many of the affairs of the states by bureaus established at Washington.

Needless for me to say that one of the great problems of the day is the industrial problem. Wages must be kept at that standard where the workers may comfortably maintain themselves and live with independence of spirit and self-respect. They cannot go back to the pre-war standard of living. Allied with the industrial problem is the problem of the deferred compensation belonging to the soldiers. The demand for the soldiers' bonus is a just demand. The service men are entitled to it as a matter of right. We should not attempt to put our industrial house in order until this obligation is fully met.

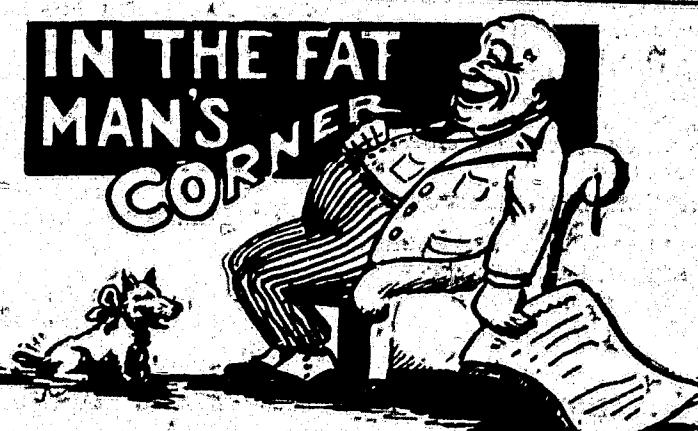
The Direct Primary, now in successful operation in every northern state, the Initiative and the Referendum and the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people, have received continual criticism at the hands of the reactionaries. They fail to realize that the average man today, by whom I mean the man in the shop, in the store, in the mill, at the forge, in the office and on the farm, is well qualified through habits of reading and study brought on and developed by the general circulation of good reading at an extremely small price, to pass efficiently upon questions relating to government. He needs no one to nominate his candidates. He is able to nominate them himself without the intervention of delegate conventions. He should not be denied the right to petition the legislature under the Initiative and Referendum, for this has always been a sacred right since the inception of our government.

He is abundantly qualified to select a man for the office of United States Senator without turning over to the members of the legislature his right to selection.

I believe that a majority of people realize that the future of the Republican Party is along broad, progressive lines. If they do not, I venture to predict that they will come to a full realization of this fact at no distant day.

The progressive believes in a broader life for the average man, in better homes, better working conditions, better schools, wages that will bring independence of thought and spirit, and a larger participation in the affairs of government by all our people. The reactionary believes that the average man is sufficiently provided for as he is, or perhaps better, than he deserves to be. Maine is larger by 300 square miles than all the rest of New England.

Maine possesses the best farms to be had at the smallest price of any state in the Union, and a potential water power development matchless in its ex-



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The FAT MAN has promised the Editor that he will make this corner the brightest and happiest spot in the whole paper. The FAT MAN is glad to have his readers send him bits of humor, illogical and clever paragraphs—those things that put everyone in high, good humor and leave one all chuckling inside. The newer, the better, and he will pay at the rate of one dollar a piece for them when suitable for his corner. Usable contributions will not be returned unless accompanied by addressed stamped envelope. The FAT MAN. Editorial Dept., National Pictorial News, Washington, D. C.

From a Steubenville, Ohio, youngster
comes the following:

"Dear Fat Man:

Her'e is a joke:

The only time I remember father to be really angry was the day a circus came to town. One of the girls in the dressing room stuck her finger through a hole in the tent, and it happened to hit father in the eye."

"Please take this joke 'cause I want to go to the circus soon."

The youngster received the money for his ticket. The Fat man hopes the circus hits Steubenville, Ohio, before the kid's dad reads this column.

THANKS, NOT GOING THAT WAY
Church Notice—Evening service 7:30.
"On the road to destruction."

Come and join us.

Boston Transcript.

Mary had a little lamb
You've heard this tale before;
But have you heard she passed the plate,
And had a little more?

Jester.

He: "You like your new dress?"
She: "Oh, I think nothing becomes me more."

He: "Yes—but that would be too darning!"—Pithy Paragraph Film.

History Prof.: "Can you tell me what makes the tower of Pisa lean?"

Fat Ed: "I don't know or I'd take some."—School Board Journal.

Detroit News.

Just when you are almost persuaded that the world is going to the dogs you meet a chap who uses perfume and then you don't care if it does.—Baltimore Sun.

Two oysters getting ready for a stew:

First: "Where are we?"

Second: "At a church supper."

First: "What on earth do they want with both of us?"—Exchange.

Mrs. Newish: "I want a pair of the best gloves you have."

"Yes, ma'm," replied the polite salesman, "and how long do you want them?"

"Don't get insulting, young man. I want to buy 'em, not hire 'em."

Jane: "Don't you think it's awful? Charley never comes home until after midnight."

Susan: "You'd ought to be happy. My husband starts out at that time."

Detroit News.

Mr. Peterkin of Bethel turned his horses out to pasture last Saturday. Elmer Bailey worked for Wallace Killgor with his team last week.

There was a dance at the Grange Hall last Friday night with a large attendance.

G. H. Learned attended court at Rumford last week.

Mary Robertson is visiting her parents a few days during the absence of H. H. Hastings and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker and daughter from Rumford Point called at W. N. Powers' last Sunday.

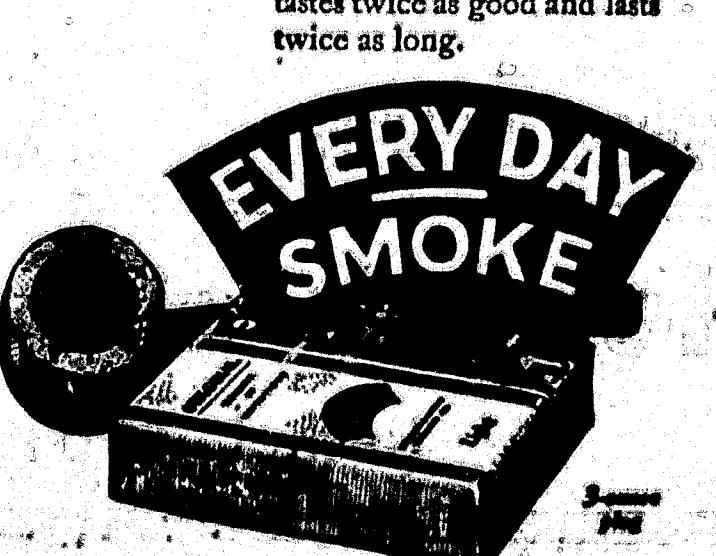
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Maplehurst,
R. F. D. 1, Bethel, Me.
12-5-12

NOTICE

Rowena E. Goodwin, Chiropractor, will be at Maple Inn, Monday and Friday of each week from 6 to 8 P. M.

NOTICE

Give me a call when you need carpenter work done.

BOLLIN DINSMORE,
Bethel, Maine.

FOR SALE—Cedar Posts and Stakes: Stakes from 6 to 10¢ each; Posts 15¢ and upward. Inquire of ALTON BARTLETT, Bethel, Maine. 4-27

CREAM SEPARATORS FOR SALE

One United States, No. 15, interlocking type, now; \$7.00 if taken at once. Three United States, No. 17, interlocking type, used; price \$4.00 each. One small United States, interlocking type, capacity, 175 lbs. milk per hour; price \$25.00. Inquire of HERMAN MASON, Bethel, Maine. 4-27

FOR SALE—80 acre farm, 3 miles from Bethel village. Borders on Song Lake. Well known as the Baker place. Reasonable cash price. Inquire of MRS. J. P. HILL, Bethel, Maine, R. F. D. 2, Box 73. 5-4-31-p

FOR SALE—One thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 13 months old. S. P. DAVIS, No. Newry, Maine. 5-11-31-p

NOTICE

There will be an administrator's auction at the home of the late Amos G. Bean at Hunt's Corner, Albany, May 27, rain or shine. Real estate and personal property. 5-18-21

FOR SALE—A registered Guernsey bull calf 4 months old, registered Jersey bull calf 11 months old. BIRCHMONT FARM, Bethel, Maine. 5-18-31-p

NOTICE

FOR SALE—One square piano in good condition. Price reasonable. H. ALTON BACON, Bryant's Pond, Me.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A United States Cream Separator. HARRY LYON, R. F. D. 4, Bethel, Me. Tel. 28-43

FOR SALE—Nine sheep, ten lambs, one ram. Price with wool on \$100. IRVING H. WILSON, Bethel, Maine. 5-4-41-p

FOR SALE—Green Mountain potatoes. Inquire of R. L. FOSTER, Bethel, Maine. 5-4-21-p

PIANO TUNING

K. L. White will be in Bethel early in June. Leave orders with Miss Dorris Frost. Phone 42-11, or write me at 8 Sheridan Ave., Auburn, Me. 5-11-31-p

TO RENT—A tenement. Inquire at Citizen Office, Bethel, Maine. 5-18-12

SHINGLES FOR SALE

Extra Clear, Clear, Second Clear, No. 1 and Extra No. 1. ALTON BARTLETT, Newry, Maine. 5-18-31-p

WANTED—Small boat. Must be in good condition. ALTON BARTLETT, Newry, Maine. 5-18-31-p

NOTICE

Don't forget the sale at the Methodist church, May 25th.

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A good pasture for 8 or 10 head of cattle. Inquire of J. F. HARRINGTON, Bethel, Maine. 5-18-31-p

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

The men who work at paving streets Have work that's all mixed up with play. They get to eat their lunch outdoors Just like a picnic every day.

“Squaring the Circle.” Efforts to “square the circle” date back to remote antiquity. The problem is discussed in the oldest mathematical document extant, the Rhind Papyrus, the date of which is about 2000 B. C.

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Mr. W. S. Wight has gone to South Paris and Oxford to lead music for special meetings to be held there for a week or more.

The members of Sunset Rebekah Lodge who attended the district meeting at West Paris, Tuesday report a very enjoyable and profitable time.

Mr. H. H. Lovejoy, County Agent, will be at Grange Hall, Friday evening at 7:30, for the purpose of organizing a Cow Test Association. All those interested are invited to attend.

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MRS. MARY LITTLEHALE

Mrs. Mary Bean Littlehale, widow of the late Jacob Littlehale of Newry, passed away after a brief illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Perley Flint, in Bethel, on Monday, May 8, at the age of 85 years.

Mrs. Littlehale was born in Bethel, but after her marriage she lived in Newry till the fall of 1920 when she came to Bethel with her daughter. Her husband died in 1899. Three children were born to them, two of whom survive, Mr. Leslie N. Littlehale of Rockland and Mrs. Perley Flint with whom she made her home. A daughter, Adelia Littlehale Thurston, died in young womanhood, leaving three small children over whom Mrs. Littlehale exerted a mother's tender care and influence.

Mrs. Littlehale was one of those rare personalities which made itself felt in the life of all with whom she came in contact. Some eleven years ago she had the misfortune to break her hip. Since that time she has, of necessity, lived a very retired life. Always patient and ever thoughtful of those near and dear to her cheerful and trustful, resigned to the will of Him whom it was always her delight to serve her life has left an impression which time cannot efface. A dear lover of children, one of her greatest joys, during her declining years, was found in the companionship of her grandchildren. “To know her was to love her” and a host of friends will long miss her encouraging smile and sympathetic words, yet they rejoice that her cup of happiness is now filled.

Conscious to the very last, with her children and other dear ones gathered about her, she slipped quietly and peacefully away, happy in the thought of meeting her Savior and the dear ones gone before. Truly “Life is all the sweeter that she lived.”

And Heaven is all the happier that she died.”

The funeral services were held on Wednesday at the home of her daughter, conducted by Rev. S. T. Achenbach of the Congregational church. The large gathering of relatives and friends and the beautiful floral offerings were indicative of the love in which Mrs. Littlehale was held. The interment was in the family lot in Newry.

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Miss Zadie Hazelton went to Boston, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ida Douglass was in Lewiston, recently.

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Miss Susie Plaisted was in Lewiston, Wednesday.

Mr. D. G. Brooks and family were in Union, Sunday.

Mrs. Ula Parsons was in Norway one day last week.

Mr. Levi Brown is working for Mr. J. M. Philbrook.

Mr. Will Hapgood has employment in Jefferson, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Sessions were in Norway, Sunday.

Miss Alice Willis is spending a few days in Lewiston.

Mrs. Albion Holt has gone to Portland for a two weeks stay.

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